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Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures dated January 21, 2004, please enter the attached substitute Sequence Listing, and consider the accompanying remarks.

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A substitute Sequence Listing is submitted herewith containing the requested source of genetic materials for SEQ ID NOS: 1 and 2, in response to the Raw Sequence Listing Error Summary included with the above-referenced Notice.

A replacement copy of the Sequence Listing in computer readable format is also included herewith.

Applicant states that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written sequence listing submitted herewith; and that the substitute Sequence Listing and computer readable format include no new matter.

Respectfully submitted,

  
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